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## HOMICIDE INVESTIGATION

RIVERSIDE, CA – On Friday, July 20, 2018, at approximately 11:09 p.m., the City of Riverside's Public Safety Dispatch Center received a 9-1-1 call of a shooting that just occurred in the 4200 block of Victoria Avenue, located in the Eastside neighborhood of Riverside. Officers quickly responded and located an adult male victim laying on the sidewalk with apparent gunshot wounds. They began life-saving measures until paramedics arrived and transported him to a local hospital. The victim succumbed to his injuries and was pronounced deceased at the hospital.

Detectives with the Robbery – Homicide Unit and Gang Unit responded to the scene and were assisted by Specialists with the Forensics Unit. Detectives were also assisted by the Riverside County District Attorney's Office and the Riverside County Sheriff – Coroner's Office. The identity of the victim is pending the Coroner's investigation and notification of family.

There are no other details available at this time. If anyone has information regarding this investigation, please contact Detective Jim Brandt at (951) 353-7137 or <a href="mailto:jbrandt@riversideca.gov">jbrandt@riversideca.gov</a>, or Detective Dave Riedeman at (951) 353-7244 or <a href="mailto:driedeman@riversideca.gov">driedeman@riversideca.gov</a>. Those wishing to remain anonymous can email <a href="mailto:rpdtips@riversideca.gov">rpdtips@riversideca.gov</a> or utilize the Riverside Police Department's mobile app "Submit a Tip" feature while referencing incident number P18135680.